## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

## **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

Cynthia Patterson,

Plaintiff

v.

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Portfolio Recovery Associates, LLC,

**Defendants** 

Case No.: 2:24-cv-00100-JAD-MDC

**Order for Joint Status Report** 

In 2016, plaintiff Cynthia Patterson initiated a lawsuit against Portfolio Recovery Associates, LLC (PRA) for alleged violations of the Telephone Consumer Protection Act and the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act. But because hundreds of similar suits were pending across the country, Patterson's case was rolled into a multidistrict litigation (MDL) track in the Southern District of California.<sup>2</sup> In January 2024, the consolidated pretrial proceedings had been completed, so Patterson's case was remanded to this court.<sup>3</sup> It's hard to discern from the MDL 14 docket what is left to do in this case following remand. The parties haven't filed anything since 15 | remand, PRA hasn't appeared, and the court is aware that Patterson's listed attorney has passed 16|| away.

In light of these obstacles, I order the parties to file a joint status report summarizing the relevant procedural history of the multidistrict litigation and explaining what, if anything, is left 19 of this lawsuit. I direct the Clerk of Court to send copies of this order to some of the attorneys listed as representing PRA in the multidistrict litigation, as well as the late Mr. David Krieger

ECF No. 1. See also ECF No. 1 in Case No. 2:16-cv-00509-JAD-VCF, the originally filed 22

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> ECF No. 6 at 1 (conditional-transfer order).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> ECF Nos. 52, 53-1 (conditional remand orders).

1 Esq.'s law office, in the hopes that the right attorneys are made aware of the existence of this 2 action. 3 Conclusion 4 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the parties to this action must file a joint status report by July 5, 2024, summarizing the relevant procedural history of the multidistrict 6 litigation and explaining what, if anything, is left of this lawsuit following remand from the 7|| MDL. The Clerk of Court is directed to mail a copy of this order to: 8 9 Krieger Law Group, LLC 5502 S. Fort Apache Road, 10 Suite 200 Las Vegas, NV 89148 11 Joseph P Garin 12 Lipson Neilson Cole Seltzer & Garin, P.C. 9900 Covington Cross Drive 13 Suite 120 Las Vegas, NV 89144 14 Portfolio Recovery Associates, LLC 15 Office of General Counsel 130 Corporate Boulevard Norfolk, VA 23502 16 17 18 U.S. District Judge Jennifer A. Dorsey 19 June 5, 2024 20 21 22 23